RESOLUTION NO. 2011-197

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE CONTRACT FOR REMOVAL OF 41 MODESTO ASH TREES. AND FURTHER APPROPRIATING FUNDS

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on November 3, 2011, at 11:00 a.m., for the removal of 41 Modesto Ash trees, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on October 5, 2011; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been checked and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Bidder	Bid
Engineer's Estimate	\$ 30,000
Berndt Tree Service	\$ 22,000
West Coast Arborists	\$ 28,470
A-Plus Tree Service	\$ 29,970
Grover Landscape	\$ 46,760
Jensen Tree Services	\$ 64,982

WHEREAS, staff recommends awarding the contract for the removal of 41 Modesto Ash trees to the low bidder, Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi, California, in the amount of \$22,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby award the contract for the removal of 41 Modesto Ash trees to the low bidder, Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi, California, in the amount of \$22,000; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the contract on behalf of the City of Lodi; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that additional funds in the amount of \$15,000 be appropriated from Street Measure K Maintenance for this project.

Dated: December 21, 2011

NOES:

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2011-197 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held December 21, 2011, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hansen, Katzakian, Nakanishi, and Mayor Mounce

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Johnson

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

City Clerk